

# COUNCILMAN MARK KERSEY

NEWS AND INFORMATION FROM THE FIFTH DISTRICT



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## “Harry Summers Court” Commemorates RB Developer and Visionary



Earlier this month, I joined community leaders to commemorate the legacy of the late developer Harry Summers, with an honorary street name at the 11800 block of Bernardo Plaza Court and Bernardo Center Drive.

Harry Summers, often referred to as “Father of Rancho Bernardo”, was an innovative San Diego developer who transformed 6,000 acres of cattle land into the master-planned community of Rancho Bernardo. Harry was a leading member in many civic, cultural, and professional organizations.

This honorary street name will be a daily reminder of his lasting impact and commemorate a visionary whose impact extends beyond his developmental and philanthropic contributions to the Rancho Bernardo community.

At the unveiling, I was joined by his beloved wife, Mrs. Joyce Summers, his daughter Linda Acosta, his son-in-law Dean Acosta, and his granddaughter, Ali Acosta, as well as countless business leaders and representatives from many of Rancho Bernardo’s community groups and associations.



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## Rolling Hills Park Grand Opening



Last month, I attended the Grand Opening celebration for the newly-renovated Rolling Hills Neighborhood Park in Rancho Peñasquitos. The park's groundbreaking ceremony, which marked the beginning of the renovations, was held in August of 2018, and after a little more than a year, the park is now open to the public.

The renovations are the first in over three decades and were made possible through both the generous support of the PQ community, which raised over \$250,000 for the project.

The park's revitalization was done in memory of Sienna Marie Palkovic, who passed in 2012. Sienna's favorite place to play was Rolling Hills Park. The Palkovic family did an incredible job of bringing people together and raising funds to create a true community and city partnership for what the park has become.

The park renovations include two new play areas, new tables and seating areas, a tricycle track around the park and a butterfly garden.

## Reporting Community Issues

The City of SAN DIEGO

Simple and easy to connect with the City:

### Get It Done

- Report non-emergency problems
- Schedule appointments
- Obtain information

**PASSPORT SERVICES**

- Schedule an Appointment for a Passport

**TREES & VEGETATION**

- Tree Maintenance: Blocking Street/Sidewalk, Branch/Fire down, Deadly, Unstable - Visibility of Traffic Signs/Signals

**PARKING**

- 72 Hour Vehicle Violation
- Parking Zone Violation
- Overland Vehicle Complaints

**STORM WATER & DRAINS**

- Illegal Discharge
- Over Irrigation
- Storm Drain Channel Cleaning - Clogged Storm Drain - Foul Odor - Grate Frame Broken or Missing - Object in Drain
- Street Flooded

**STREETS, SIDEWALKS & LIGHTS**

- Curbs: Damage - Faded Paint - Illegal Painting
- Sidewalk Repair
- Street Lights: Light On During the Day - Light Out
- Damaged Guardrail
- Faded Striping
- Pathways
- Traffic Signs: Faded Signs - Knocked Over - Missing Sign
- Traffic Signal: All Lights Out - Flanking Red - Light Out - Signal Facing Wrong Direction - Timing
- Other

**TRASH COLLECTION, RECYCLING & GRAFTITI**

- ADA Assisted Collection
- Additional Trash/Recycle Container
- Container Left Out
- Dead Animal
- Dumpster Encroaching on Public Right of Way
- Find My Trash Collection Schedule
- Graffiti
- Hazardous Appointment
- Illegal Dumping: Abandoned Camp - Active Camp - Bulky Items
- Misused Collection
- New Trash Service
- Replace Damaged Container
- Scavenging of Blue Recycling or Black Trash Containers

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The City of San Diego's Get It Done app is a useful tool for reporting non-emergency problems, scheduling appointments for city services, and obtaining information.

Get It Done users can report issues related to:

- Trees & Vegetation
- Parking Issues
- Storm Water & Drains
- Streets, Sidewalks, & Lights
- Trash Collection, Recycling, & Graffiti

If you have any issues to report, you can do so on the city's website at [www.sandiego.gov/get-it-done](http://www.sandiego.gov/get-it-done) or via the Get It Done mobile application.

## In the Community

### Brain Balance Grand Opening



On November 1st, Brain Balance Achievement Center celebrated their Grand Opening in Carmel Mountain Ranch.

Brain Balance is an assistive center that offers personalized, drug-free programs designed to improve focus, behavior, social skills, anxiety, and academic performance.

The programs offered take an integrative approach to strengthening cognitive functioning through sensory engagement, physical development, academics, and nutrition.

### 32nd Annual Fun Run

On November 8th, the San Diego North Rotary Club held their 32nd Annual Fun Run Invitational Cross Country meet.

The meet included more than 700 participants, ranging from 3rd through 8th grade, including runners from almost all elementary and middle schools in Poway Unified School District and many others from across the county.

The Fun Run was started in 1988 through the efforts of Rotarian Al Baskin and Coach Phil Warren, a middle school teacher and cross country coach at Black Mountain Middle School at the time.



## Business Spotlight: The French Oven



The French Oven is a family-owned bakery and café offering a wide selection of authentic French pastries, salads, and sandwiches. What began as a pop-up bakery business from the home of a local Scripps Ranch couple, Yves and Susie, has become a staple of the community.

Chef Yves grew up in a small village in France and is a fifth-generation baker. There's even a sign from 1840 from his great, great grandfather's bakery on the wall of The French Oven.

Next month, French Oven celebrates their two-year anniversary. Visit them at 10299 Scripps Trail, Ste. E.



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## Community Calendar

### PQ Certified Farmers Market

Saturdays, 9400 Fairgrove Lane and Salmon River Rd.

<https://www.facebook.com/PQCertifiedFarmersMarket/>

### Rancho Bernardo Certified Farmers' Market & Specialties

Fridays, 13330 Paseo Del Verano Norte

<https://www.sdfarmbureau.org/farmers-market/#YMCA>

### Recovery International

Tuesday, November 26, PQ Branch Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/recovery-international-5>

### Father Joe's Thanksgiving Day 5K Run/Walk

Thursday, November 28, Balboa Park

[https://secure.neighbor.org/site/TR?fr\\_id=1121&pg=entry](https://secure.neighbor.org/site/TR?fr_id=1121&pg=entry)

### Liberty Station Tree Lighting & Holiday Festivities

Friday, November 30, 2848 Dewey Rd.

<https://libertystation.com/do/liberty-station-tree-lighting-and-holiday-festivities>

### Health Fitness Class

Tuesday, December 3, Scripps Miramar Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/health-fitness-class-29>

### San Diego BBQ & Beer Festival

Saturday, December 6, 2751 Dewey Rd.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/san-diego-bbq-beer-festival-tickets-64244800929>

### Gardening Exchange

Saturday, December 7, PQ Branch Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/gardening-exchange-2>

### Make Your Own Gingerbread House

Wednesday, December 11, CMR Branch Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/make-your-own-gingerbread-house-0>

### Beginning Genealogy & Family Histories

Thursday, December 12, PQ Branch Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/beginning-genealogy-family-histories-3>

### SRCA Holiday Concert

Saturday, December 14, Scripps Miramar Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/srca-holiday-concert>

### The Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Choir Performance

Sunday, December 15, Scripps Miramar Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/pleasure-your-company-martin-luther-king-jr-community-choir-gospel>

### Recovery International

Tuesday, December 17th, PQ Branch Library

<https://sandiego.librarymarket.com/events/recovery-international-2>

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